

Amendments to the Claims

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application.

1. (Currently amended): An adhesiveless masking film, comprising a first outer layer consisting of ~~Mxsite™~~ a polyethylene cling resin comprising amorphous polyolefin and a second outer layer that does not contain ~~Mxsite™~~ the polyethylene cling resin, wherein the first outer layer of the film is adapted for retackably adhering to a surface of a substrate.
2. (Original): The masking film according to claim 1, wherein the second outer layer comprises low density polyethylene, linear low density polyethylene, medium density polyethylene, high density polyethylene, polypropylene, ethylene vinyl acetate or a mixture thereof.
3. (Original): The masking film according to claim 1, which comprises one or more inner layers.
4. (Original): The masking film according to claim 3, wherein each of the one or more inner layers comprises low density polyethylene, linear low density polyethylene, medium density polyethylene, high density polyethylene, polypropylene, ethylene vinyl acetate or a mixture thereof.
5. (Currently amended): The masking film according to claim 3, wherein each of the one or more inner layers comprises ~~Mxsite™~~ the polyethylene cling resin comprising amorphous polyolefin.
6. (Original): The masking film according to claim 1, which is a coextruded cast or blown film.
7. (Currently amended): The masking film according to claim 1, wherein the film consists of three layers, the first outer layer, a middle layer and the second outer layer.

8. (Currently amended): The masking film according to claim 7, wherein the second outer layer consists of low density polyethylene and the middle layer consists of ~~an advanced Zeigler Natta catalyzed~~ linear low density polyethylene.
9. (Currently amended): The masking film according to claim ~~[[8]]~~ 7, wherein the second outer layer consists of linear low density polyethylene ~~is Dow 494™ and the middle layer consists of a metallocene catalyzed polyethylene advanced Zeigler Natta catalyzed linear low density polyethylene is Eastman Hifor™.~~
10. (Original): The masking film according to claim 1, wherein the second outer layer additionally comprises a slip agent.
11. (Original): The masking film according to claim 10, wherein the slip agent is present in an amount greater than 200 ppm.
12. (Original): The masking film according to claim 10, wherein the slip agent is euricamide.
13. (Currently amended): ~~Use of Mxsite™ in the manufacture of~~ A method of manufacturing an adhesiveless masking film according to claim 1, comprising coextruding or laminating the layers.
14. (Currently amended): ~~Use of an adhesiveless masking film according to claim 1, to protect the surface of the substrate~~ A method of protecting a surface of a substrate comprising the step of contacting the surface with the adhesiveless masking film according to claim 1.
15. (Currently amended): The ~~use~~ method according to claim 14, wherein the substrate is a smooth or corrugated sheet of polycarbonate, polyester, glycol modified copolyester, acrylic, polystyrene, acrylonitrile-butadiene-styrene, or glass.
- 16-19. (Canceled).